NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACTION

by the
State of Nevada
Division of Environmental Protection
Bureau of Air Pollution Control

Pursuant to Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) Chapter 445B, the Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) Chapter 445B, and the Clean Air Act, the Division of Environmental Protection is issuing the following Notice of Proposed Action.

The Director received an application for a revision for Class I Operating Permit to Construct (OPTC) AP1041-3301(FIN A1497) from the following applicant:

MDW Pan LLP c/o Midway Gold US Inc. The Point at Inverness 8310 South Valley Highway Suite 280 Englewood, Colorado 80112

Midway Pan LLP is located in White Pine County, 8989 West US Highway 50 Ely. The project is located in all or portions of the following area(s): Section 34, Township 18N, Range 55E; Sections 3, 10, 13 through 15, 22 through 27, 34 through 36, Township 17N Range 55E; Sections 1 through 3, 11 through 14, 23, and 24, Township 16N, Range 55E. (MDB&M). The Director has prepared a tentative determination regarding the revised Class I OPTC that, in brief, includes the following:

- Increasing the storage capacity for the System 18 storage silo from 100 tons to 250 tons
- The addition of two new systems. System 20 will consist of two 671 horsepower diesel generators, and System 21 will consist of a single 1,006 horsepower diesel generator.
- The addition of 5 new portable diesel generators to the insignificant activity list.

On the basis of the preliminary review and the requirements of the NRS, the NAC and the Clean Air Act, the Director is hereby announcing his intent to issue the revised Class I OPTC based on a review of the information submitted. A copy of the draft permit will be available for public inspection at the following location:

WHITE PINE COUNTY LIBRARY 950 CAMPTON STREET ELY NV 89301

Persons wishing to comment regarding this proposed action, or to request a hearing pursuant to NRS 445B Air Pollution and NAC 445B Air Controls, should submit their comments or request in writing, either in person or by mail or fax within thirty (30) days to:

Jeffrey Kinder Division of Environmental Protection - Nevada Bureau of Air Pollution Control 901 South Stewart Street, Suite 4001, Carson City, Nevada 89701-5249 (775) 687-9475, (775) 687-6396 FAX

The application, Director's Review, proposed permit, any comments received, and other relevant information may be copied at the above address or copies may be obtained by written request to the above address. Written comments or objections will be received at the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection, above address, until **January 18, 2015,** and will be retained and considered prior to final action on the Class I OPTC.

Please bring the foregoing notice to the attention of all interested persons.